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SUBJECT: ADB FINANCING OF OILS AND FATS

REF: TRSY 76-23

1. ADB HAS NOT FINANCED ANY PROJECT SPECIFICALLY RELATING TO PRODUCTION OF OILS AND FATS OTHER THAN OIL PALM CULTIVATION AND PALM OIL PRODUCTION, AND ADB HAS NO PROJECTS IN PIPELINE RELATING TO PRODUCTION OF OILS AND FATS OTHER THAN PALM OIL.

2. ADB IS CURRENTLY EXAMINING TWO REQUESTS FOR ASSISTANCE IN CULTIVATION OF COCONUT PALMS OR COCONUT OIL PRODUCTION IN TONGA AND WESTERN SAMOA.

3. THERE ARE THREE BANK-FINANCED IRRIGATION PROJECTS FOR WHICH OIL PRODUCING CROPS HAVE BEEN INCLUDED IN CROPT ROTATION PROPOSED FOR IRRIGATED AREAS. FIRST IS
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LOANS NOS. 16 AND 17 FOR SI LANKA, APPROVED

OCTOBER 1969 FOR WALAWE DEVELOPMENT PROJECT. THE PROPOSED DOUBLE CROPPING PATTERN INCLUDES GROUNDNUT PRODUCTION OF 4,850 M/T AND ABOUT 5,800 M/T COTTONSEED PER YEAR THAT WOULD BE PROCESSED FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION. THE SECOND IS LOAN NO. 49 FOR AFGHANISTAN, APPROVED DECEMBER 1970 FOR GAWARGAN-CHARDARRAH AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT PROJECT, IN WHICH IRRIGATION REHABILITATION AND NEW IRRIGATION MAY RESULT IN INCREASED COTTONSEED PRODUCTION OF 5,000 TO 8,000 M/T PER YEAR OVER AN EIGHT-YEAR PERIOD BEGINNING SEVEN YEARS AFTER THE COMPLETION OF IRRIGATION FACILITIES IN 1978. THE THIRD IS LOAN NO. 204 ALSO FOR AFGHANISTAN, APPROVED DECEMBER 1974 FOR KAJAKAI GATES PROJECT, WHICH WOULD HELP INSTALL SPILLWAY GATES OF THE RESERVOIR, IMPROVING FLOOD CONTROL AND IRRIGATION WATER SUPPLY THAT COULD HELP INCREASE MARGINALLY COTTONSEED PRODUCTION. SULLIVAN

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